# **GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT**

Public Servants - Endowments Department - Sri P. Siva Sankara Rao, formerly Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Ongole (now retired) - Initiation of Disciplinary proceedings under Rule 20 of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 - Articles of Charges - Issued.

**REVENUE (VIGILANCE. IV.1) DEPARTMENT** 

G.O.Rt.No. 903

Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> of June, 2010.

Read the following:-

G.O.Ms.No.600, Revenue (Vig.IV) Deptt., Dt.25.06.2010.

## **ORDER:**

In pursuance of the sanction accorded by the Government under subclause (i) of clause (b) of sub clause (2) of Rule 9 of the Revised Pension Rules, 1980 for instituting departmental proceedings against Sri P. Siva Sankara Rao, formerly Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Ongole (now retired), vide G.O.Ms.No.600, Revenue (Vig.IV) Department, dated 25.06.2010, it is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri P. Siva Sankara Rao, formerly Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Ongole (now retired), in accordance with the procedure laid down under Rule 20 of A.P.Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

- The substance of imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of Articles of charge (Annexure-I). A statement of imputations of misconduct/misbehaviour (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses (Annexure-III & IV) by whom the proposed Articles of Charge are sustained.
- 3. Sri P. Siva Sankara Rao, formerly Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Ongole (now retired), is directed to submit his written statement of Defence within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.
- Siva Sankara Rao, formerly Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Ongole (now retired), is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those Articles of Charge which are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each Article of Charge.
- 5. Sri P. Siva Sankara Rao, formerly Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Ongole (now retired), is also informed that if he does not submit his Written Statement of Defence on or before the date specified in para 3 above, further action will be processed based on material available on record exparte.
- Attention of Sri P. Siva Sankara Rao, formerly Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Ongole (now retired), is invited to Rule 24 of A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964 under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matter pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that he is aware of such a representation

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and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

( BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH )

# K.V. RAMANA CHARY PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

То

Sri P. Siva Sankara Rao, formerly Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Ongole (now retired) (Through the Commissioner, Endowments Department, A.P., Hyderabad).

## Copy to:

The Commissioner, Endowments Department, A.P., Hyderabad.

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## **ANNEXURE-I**

STATEMENT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI P. SIVA SANKARA RAO, THE THEN ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, ENDOWMENTS DEPARTMENT, ONGOLE, NOW RETIRED FROM SERVICE.

- 1. The Commissioner has permitted the Executive Officer, Sri Lakshmi Narasimha Swamy Temple, Malakonda, Prakasam District to appoint Sri N.Venkata Rao as Attender who is son of Sri N.Veeraiah, deceased NMR and did not order for payment of scale of pay. Contravening these orders, Sri P.Siva Sankara Rao, while working as Executive Officer, Sri Malakonda Devasthanam has issued appointment orders to Sri N.Venkata Rao as Attender on compassionate grounds in the Time Scale of Rs.3850-8600 and other allowances vide his proceedings No.28/2006, dt.01.01.2008 which shows his callousness and misconduct on his part.
- 2. That he has given irregular promotion to Sri K.V.Subba Rao, Attender of Ravinuthala Group Temples to the cadre of Junior Assistant in the time scale of Rs.4825-10845 in D.Dis.No.A2/5399/2007, dt.14.09.2007 without there being a channel of promotion to the Attenders to the post of Junior Assistant and violated the A.P.C. & H.R.I. and Endowment Office Holders and Servants Service Rules, 2000.
- 3. That he has given irregular promotion of Sri Gali Rama Rao, Record Assistant of Enamandala Group Temples to the cadre of Junior Assistant in the time scale of Rs.4825-10845 and posted in the same group in the existing vacancy in D.Dis.No.A2/5245/2007, dt.31.08.2007 without there being a channel of promotion to the Record Assistant to the post of Junior Assistant and violated the A.P.C. & H.R.I. and Endowments Office Holders and Servants Service Rules, 2000.
- 4. That he has given irregular promotion to Sri K.V.Subrahmanyam, Attender to the cadre of Junior Assistant in the time scale of Rs.4825-10845 with usual allowance in Rc.No.A2/4912/2008, dt.19.09.2008 without there being a channel of promotion to the Attenders to the post of Junior Assistant and violated the A.P.C. & H.R.I and Endowments Office Holders and Servants Service Rules, 2000.
- 5. That he has passed orders upgrading the post of Attender in Giddaluru Group Temples w.e.f. 01.04.2009 to the cadre of Record Assistant duly abolishing the post of Attender only to accommodate Sri N.Jagan Mohan Reddy, Attender as Record Assistant without having competency and thereby violated the Rules framed under Endowments Act.

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## **ANNEXURE-II**

STATEMENT OF IMPUTATIONS OF MISCONDUCT OR MISBEHAVIOUR IN SUPPORT OF THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRIP.SIVA SANKARA RAO, THE THEN ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, ENDOWMENTS DEPARTMENT, ONGOLE, NOW RETIRED FROM SERVICE.

That Sri P.Siva Sankara Rao, the then Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Ongole, now retired is native of Khazipet, Tenali(M), Guntur District. His date of birth is 09.06.1951. He joined in the service on 27.01.1970 as Vth Grade Executive Officer and got various promotions during his service and retired as Assistant Commissioner in Endowments Department.

- 2. That Sri P.Siva Sankara Rao, while working as Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Ongole from 02.06.2007 to 30.06.2009, passed orders of irregular promotions of Temple Employees and issued orders upgrading the posts even though there are specific instructions from the Commissioner, Endowments Department, A.P., Hyderabad not to give any promotions, pay scales etc., to the temple employees without prior permission of the Commissioner of Endowments, A.P., Hyderabad from 2003 onwards.
- 3. Thus the Charged Officer by above mentioned acts has exhibited lack of integrity, devotion to duty and acted in a manner, which will place his official position under embarrassment and thereby contravened Rule 3 of 1 and 2 & 3 of A.P. Civil Service (Conduct) Rules, 1964.
- 4. Thus, Sri P.Siva Sankara Rao, Assistant Commissioner, now retired has therefore made himself liable for disciplinary action.

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## **ANNEXURE-III**

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI P. SIVA SANKARA RAO, THE THEN ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, ENDOWMENTS DEPARTMENT, ONGOLE, NOW RETIRED FROM SERVICE ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

1. Rc.No.B2/6292/2009, dt.09.07.2009 from the Deputy Commissioner, Endowments Department, Guntur.

K.V. RAMANA CHARY PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

SECTION OFFICER

#### **ANNEXURE-IV**

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHICH THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI P. SIVA SANKARA RAO, THE THEN ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, ENDOWMENTS DEPARTMENT, ONGOLE, NOW RETIRED FROM SERVICE ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

Nil

K.V. RAMANA CHARY PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT